



RULE-MAKING ORDER

CR-103 (June 2004)
(Implements RCW 34.05.360)

Agency: Department of Health- Board of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery.

☒ **Permanent Rule**
☐ **Emergency Rule**

Effective date of rule:
Permanent Rules

☒ 31 days after filing.
☐ Other (specify) (If less than 31 days after filing, a specific finding under RCW 34.05.380(3) is required and should be stated below)

Effective date of rule:
Emergency Rules

☐ Immediately upon filing.
☐ Later (specify)

Any other findings required by other provisions of law as precondition to adoption or effectiveness of rule?
☐ Yes ☒ No If Yes, explain:

Purpose: Adopting new WAC 246-853-085 Approved colleges and schools of osteopathic medicine and surgery. The rule requires schools and colleges of osteopathic medicine to be accredited by the American Osteopathic Association Commission on Osteopathic College Accreditation. The rule will establish enforceable standards and criteria for the Board to approve a college or school.

Citation of existing rules affected by this order:

Repealed: None
Amended: None
Suspended: None

Statutory authority for adoption: RCW 18.57.005; RCW 18.57.020

Other authority : Chapter 18.57 RCW

PERMANENT RULE ONLY (Including Expedited Rule Making)

Adopted under notice filed as WSR 06-19-107 on 09/20/2006 (date).

Describe any changes other than editing from proposed to adopted version: There were no changes to the proposed language.

If a preliminary cost-benefit analysis was prepared under RCW 34.05.328, a final cost-benefit analysis is available by contacting:

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EMERGENCY RULE ONLY

Under RCW 34.05.350 the agency for good cause finds:

- ☐ That immediate adoption, amendment, or repeal of a rule is necessary for the preservation of the public health, safety, or general welfare, and that observing the time requirements of notice and opportunity to comment upon adoption of a permanent rule would be contrary to the public interest.
- ☐ That state or federal law or federal rule or a federal deadline for state receipt of federal funds requires immediate adoption of a rule.

Reasons for this finding:

Date adopted: 11/17/2006

NAME (TYPE OR PRINT)
Daniel Dugaw, DO

SIGNATURE

TITLE
Board Chair

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Count by whole WAC sections only, from the WAC number through the history note.
A section may be counted in more than one category.

The number of sections adopted in order to comply with:

Federal statute:	New	<u>0</u>	Amended	<u>0</u>	Repealed	<u>0</u>
Federal rules or standards:	New	<u>0</u>	Amended	<u>0</u>	Repealed	<u>0</u>
Recently enacted state statutes:	New	<u>0</u>	Amended	<u>0</u>	Repealed	<u>0</u>

The number of sections adopted at the request of a nongovernmental entity:

New	<u>0</u>	Amended	<u>0</u>	Repealed	<u>0</u>
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The number of sections adopted in the agency's own initiative:

New	<u>1</u>	Amended	<u>0</u>	Repealed	<u>0</u>
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The number of sections adopted in order to clarify, streamline, or reform agency procedures:

New	<u>0</u>	Amended	<u>0</u>	Repealed	<u>0</u>
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The number of sections adopted using:

Negotiated rule making:	New	<u>0</u>	Amended	<u>0</u>	Repealed	<u>0</u>
Pilot rule making:	New	<u>0</u>	Amended	<u>0</u>	Repealed	<u>0</u>
Other alternative rule making:	New	<u>1</u>	Amended	<u>0</u>	Repealed	<u>0</u>

NEW SECTION

WAC 246-853-085 Approved colleges and schools of osteopathic medicine and surgery. For the purposes of meeting the qualifications under RCW 18.57.020, the board approves those colleges or schools of osteopathic medicine accredited by the American Osteopathic Association Commission on Osteopathic College Accreditation.